

**IN THE
UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: SWOBODA, et al.

CASE: OST-051302

CONFIRMATION NO.: 2018

SERIAL NO.: 10/565,753

FILING DATE: January 23, 2006

FOR: DEVICE FOR HARDENING A
COATING OF AN OBJECT, WHICH
IS MADE OF A MATERIAL
HARDENING UNDER
ELECTROMAGNETIC RADIATION,
ESPECIALLY A UV LACQUER...

**RESPONSE TO
FINAL OFFICE
ACTION DATED
APRIL 21, 2010**

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ATTENTION OF:
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EXAMINER:
Hilton, Albert

Dear Examiner

This is a reply to the Final Office Action mailed April 21, 2010. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the rejections and objections and passage to allowance of the present application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 7 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached following page 12 of this paper.

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